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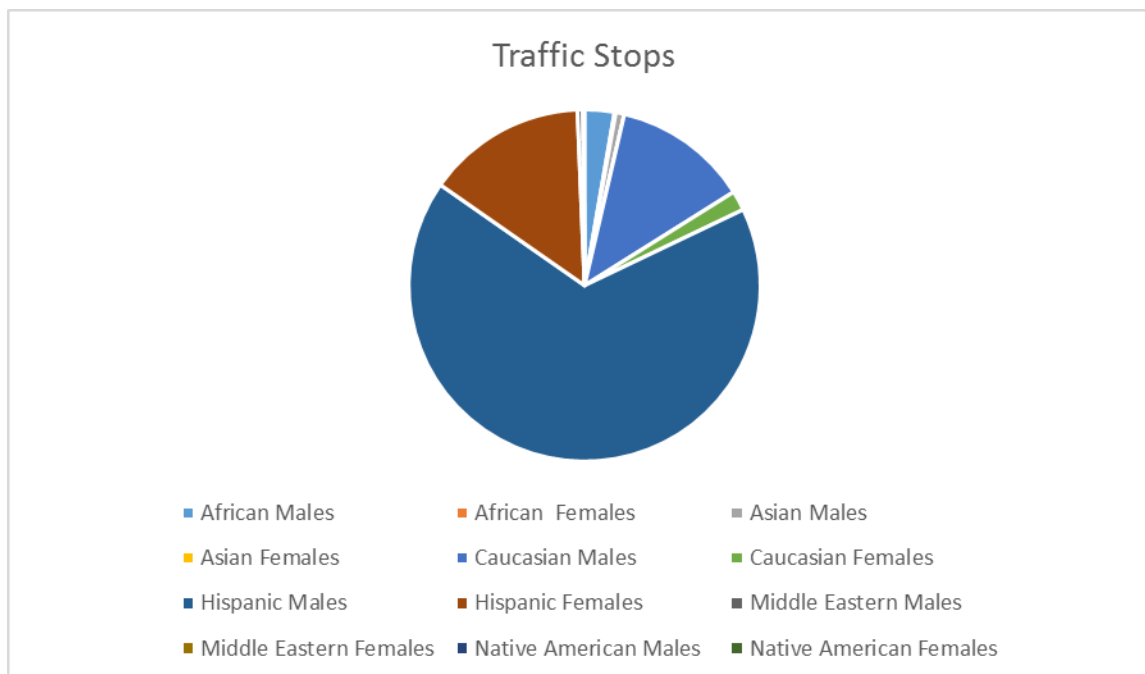
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### **Comparative Analysis**

The city of Encinal, Texas is located between Laredo and Cotulla, Texas. The city of Laredo is located 39 miles south of Encinal, and Cotulla is located 29 miles north of Encinal. Laredo, Texas is a border city that is connected to Nuevo Laredo, Tamaulipas, Mexico. Therefore, Hispanics are predominantly the race and ethnicity that commutes through Encinal.

#### **Traffic Stops by Ethnicity & Gender:**

<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>	<b>Female Gender</b>	<b>Male Gender</b>	<b>Total</b>
African	1	21	22
Asian	0	6	6
Caucasian	14	96	110
Hispanic	113	515	628
Middle Eastern	0	4	4
Native American	1	0	1
Totals	129	642	771



As illustrated above, you can see the comparison of traffic stops based on gender and ethnicity. From the 771 traffic stops conducted within our jurisdiction, the majority of the persons are recognized as racial or ethnic compared to the fewer percentage that are not recognized as racial or ethnic minorities.

	Citations	Warnings	Total Stops
African Males/Females	19	3	
Asian Males/Females	5	1	
Caucasian Males/Females	97	13	
Hispanic Males/Females	604	24	
Middle Eastern Males/Females	3	1	
Native American Males/Females	1	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>729</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>771</b>

The Encinal Police Officers conducted a total of 771 traffic stops, issuing 729 citations and 42 written warnings. Most of the traffic stops conducted resulted in a citation. There was only one consented search conducted during a traffic stop involving a Hispanic male. No contraband found.

The City of Encinal Police Department implemented a General Orders Manual in September 2014, which includes Bias and Racial Based Profiling section, 2.01.1, that defines racial profiling acts and explains the process for an individual to file a complaint.